

Western Utah Copper Chronology

<u>Action</u>	<u>Date</u>
DEQ Dry Stack Tailings (14.0 acres) permit by rule groundwater permit	07/08/2007
Approval of Large Mine permit	07/25/2007
Amendments to the Large mine plan	12/10/2008
Mill start up operation	5/2009
Emergency meeting DWQ to discuss tailings impoundment as dry stacking is not possible due to failure of filter presses	7/22/2009
Denial of amendments received December 10, 2009	9/14/2009
DWQ Groundwater construction permit approval For construction of a lined tailings impoundment,	10/21/2009
DWQ Ground Water Discharge Permit by Rule based on a lined tailings impoundment (21.85 acres)	10/05/2009
Mill continues to operate until the end of December	12/2009
Violation for failing to amend Large mine permit to include Tailings impoundment	1/21/2010
Amendment received requesting the plan be changed to incorporate a lined tailings impoundment and other changes to bring plan up todate	3/15/2010